

R. BALBES AND P. DWINGER, *Distributive Lattices*, University of Missouri Press, 1974, 294 pp. Thorough and well-written, covers material not easily available elsewhere in book form, such as Post algebras and Heyting algebras. Conspicuously missing: Priestley's theorem, the definitive result on the representation of distributive lattices. Some commutative algebraists are now busily rediscovering distributive lattices in a new language. They might save time and needless duplication by reading this book.

M. SPECTOR, *Methodological Foundations of Relativistic Mechanics*, University of Notre Dame Press, 1972, 174 pp. This very elementary exposition by a philosopher is better than most, and very easy to read. The author knows how to display the theory so as to bring out the salient philosophical points

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